GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

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INVOLVEMENT OF BANGLADESHI MIGRANTS IN CRIMINAL ACTIVITIES IN DELHI
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether a large number of Bangladeshi nationals illegally living in Delhi, are involved in a number of criminal activities;

(b) if so, the number of such Bangladeshi nationals arrested during each of the last three years;

(c) whether the Government have conducted any inquiry in this regard during the last two years;

(d) if so, the outcome thereof; and

(e) the number of Bangladeshi nationals living in Delhi, as on date, according to official sources and the main areas where they are living ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (CH. VIDYASAGAR RAO)

(a) to (b): The number of illegal Bangladeshi immigrants arrested in connection with criminal activities in Delhi during the years 1999, 2000 and 2001 (upto July 31, 2001) was 34, 41 and 8 respectively.

(c) & (d): These cases were sent to the court for trial after investigation. Their present position is given below:

Year	Total Cases	Pending Trial	Acquitted	Convicted
1999	34	26	8	-
2000	41	35	3	3
2001	8	8	-	-

(e): During the period from 1999 to 2001 (upto July 31, 2001), 760 illegal Bangladeshi immigrants living in Delhi were sent back to Bangladesh. In addition Delhi Police have identified 1909 illegal Bangladeshi immigrants living in Yamuna Pusta; Sanjay Amar Colony; TNR Camp at East of Kailash; Seelampur; Seemapuri; Azadpur Market; and jhuggi clusters of Bara Pullah at Eas Nizamuddin, Basti at Hazrat Nizamuddin, Taimur Nagar, Narela, Ashok Vihar, Badli, Bawana, Saraswati Vihar and Jal Vihar areas of Delhi.